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## COMMUNICATION REGARDING THE REQUIRMENT FOR FILING OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

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Dear Sir:

Reference is made to the Requirement on the Notice of Allowability regarding the filing of corrected or replacement drawings. However, the Form 948 provided with the Notice of Allowability was not for the subject application Serial No. 09/911,235 (see attached 948 for Serial No. 09/564,929). Therefore, on March 2, 2005, the Applicant's attorney requested the Examiner that a correct 948 for subject application be provided in order to have the drawings corrected.

On March 4, 2005, Examiner Lechi Truong sent by facsimile to the Applicant's attorney Form PTO 948 dated March 3, 2005 (see attached 948 for Serial No. 09/911,235) for the subject application showing that the drawings filed July 23, 2001 were approved by the Draftsperson.

Therefore, it is believed that no replacement drawings are due for the subject application.

Respectfully submitted, FROMMER LAWRENCE & HAUG LLP

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| B objected to by the Draftsperson under 37 CFR 1.84 of drawings are required.   | or 1.152 for the reasons indicated below. Corrected   |
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| 1. DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.84(a): Acceptable categories of drawings: Black ink or Color (3 sets required),  Color drawings are not acceptable until petition is granted. Fig(s)  Pencil and non black ink not permitted. Fig(s)  2. PHOTOGRAPHS. 37 CFR 1.84(b)  One (1) full-tone set is required. Fig(s)  Photographs may not be mounted. 37 CFR 1.84(e) | 8. ARRANGEMENT OF VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(i)  Words do not appear on a horizontal, left-to-right fashion when page is either upright or turned so that the top becomes the right side, except for graphs. Fig(s)  9. SCALE. 37 CFR 1.84(k)  Scale not large enough to show mechanism without crowding when drawing is reduced in size to two-thirds in reproduction. |
| Photographs must meet paper size requirements of 37 CFR 1.84(f). Fig(s)  Poor quality (half-tone). Fig(s)  TYPE OF PAPER. 37 CFR 1.84(c)  Paper not flexible, strong, white, and durable.  Fig(s)   | Fig(s)  10. CHARACTER OF LINES, NUMBERS, & LETTERS. 37 CFR   1.84(1)  Lines, numbers & letters not uniformly thick and well defined, clean, durable, and black (poor lin quality). Fig(s)   |
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| 21.0 cm by 29.7 cm (DIN size A4) or 21.6 cm by 27.9 cm (8 1/2x 11 inches)  All drawing sheets not the same size.  Sheet(s)  Drawings sheets not an acceptable size. Fig(s)  | Numbers and reference characters not plain and legible. Fig(s)  Figure legends are poor. Fig(s)  Numbers and reference characters not oriented in the same direction as the view. 37 CFR 1.84(p)  |
| 5. MARGINS. 37 CFR 1.84(g): Acceptable margins: Top 2.5 cm Left 2.5 cm Right 1.5 cm Bottom 1.0 cm  Margins not acceptable. Fig(s)  Top (T)  Left (L)  Right (R)  Bottom (B)   | Fig(s) English alphabet not used, 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) Pig(s) Numbers, letters and reference characters must t at least 32 cm (1/8 inch) in height, 37 CFR   |
| 6. VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(h) REMINDER: Specification may require revision to correspond to drawing changes, e.g., if Fig. 1 is changed to Fig. 1A, Fig 1B and Fig. 1C, etc., the specification, at the Brief Description of the Drawings,   | 1.84(p)(3). Fig(s)  13. LEAD LINES. 37 CFR 1.84(q)  Lead lines missing. Fig(s)  14. NUMBERING OF SHEETS OF DRAWINGS 37 CFR 1.84(t)  |
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